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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Norman Binz  
DeWalch**

Serial No.: **10/641,378**

Date Filed: **August 13, 2003**

Title: **Method and Apparatus for  
Processing Substances in a  
Single Container**

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Group Art Unit: **1723**

Examiner: **Kim, Sun U**

Docket No.: **PAT-015 CIPA  
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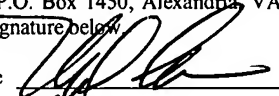
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May 14, 2007

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF NOVEMBER 14, 2006**

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified case are the following documents:

- ☒ Response to Non-Final Office Action of November 14, 2006;
- ☒ Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a);
- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (Fee for extension of time for reply within the third month after the shortened statutory period);
- ☒ Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$510.00 (Extension for reply within the third month after the shortened statutory period); and

X Return postcard.

Applicant respectfully requests that USPTO receipt of the above-mentioned items be confirmed by timely date stamping and returning the postcard enclosed herewith.

Additionally, with regard to the fees, it is believed the fees are as per the fee schedule and transmittal and that no other fees are due, however authorization is hereby provided to revise the attached credit card form to provide a corrected fee amount if required for the fees or any other required fees.

Date: May 14, 2007

Respectfully Submitted,



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